

Monthly Report Template for COMPETE Grantees

Grantee: Sustainable Harvest at Origin/Africa Ltd

Report for the month of: June 2011

Based on your grant agreement implementation timeline, please highlight the activities you have accomplished over the past month.

Activities Activities should be directly in-line with your grant agreement	Activity Status If the activity has been accomplished, please give results. If the activity has not been accomplished, please provide an explanation.
To link input suppliers with producers and producers with buyers	Many of Kilicafe's washing stations started operations this month and for this reason the month of June has focused much more on RITS follow-ups and getting RITS up and running at the ground level than on trade of the 2011 coffee. However, Boss Farijallah was invited to Kilicafe's annual general meeting in Mbeya to present on Sustainable Harvest trade model and to discuss the successes of the RITS pilot to date. He got some great feedback and a number of groups approached him asking how they could access the technology they need to link them up with the rest of the supply chain. Boss also conducted a 2-day assessment of some of the Kilicafe washing stations in Mbeya region with a focus on potential regarding sourcing coffee in the future.
To conduct trainings on: -Quality management training workshops -Wet mill management workshops -RFID/cell phone use workshops -RITS system workshops for dry mill managers and cuppers	<p>This month, Sustainable Harvest conducted one training in Mbinga on June 9th for the 6 RITS users from Mahenge, Umoja Ilela and Kihuka washing stations. With the use of one Apple program called iShowU, Sustainable Harvest staff were able to record videos in Kiswahili instructing the users in how to run their internet modems correctly and how to use their printers to print receipts of delivery and payment using RITS. The videos were emailed to the Mbinga users and reports back suggest the training was a great success.</p> <p>Since 6 of the RITS groups in Kilimanjaro region opened up operations at the washing station in the month of June, training has currently ceased and RITS follow-up at the field level continues. Carly Griggs and Boss Farijallah have travelled to Pendo, Mlimani Ngarashi, Kishisha, Messengarony and Singisi washing station to check on both RITS and quality control at the reception. In July Boss Farijallah and Andre Almeida will conduct trainings at the washing stations inviting 50 producers from each RITS group to learn more about quality control at the reception area as well as give out the farmer manuals which provides information in how to improve the quality of the coffee from seed to storage.</p>

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Collection, bulking, cleaning, sorting, drying, storage of RITS tracked coffee at the dry mill	In the month of June between them Kihuka, Kishisha, Messengarony, Mlimani Ngarashi, Ngyani, Pendo and Singisi washing stations have tracked 69 batches of coffee using RITS. This amounted to a total of 24731 kilograms of cherry being tracked from reception to storage. Furthermore, 363 farmer advance payments were made using the RITS system and the receipt printers provided through the program in 2011, amounting to 1,990, 200 Tanzanian Shillings (approximately 1330 USD).

Additional comments or results:

Due to equipment sourcing problems, the solar-kits did not arrive in Moshi in time to be installed in June. However, the equipment is due to arrive on July 2nd and as such by the second week of July we trust Kishisha and Pendo in Kilimanjaro area and Kihuka, Umoja Ilela and Mahenge of Mbinga will enjoy power at their washing stations for the first time.

Batches of coffee tracked in June 2011 recorded in RITS

Messengarony	0A558411	06/28/11	Drying	15	No	280.0
Mlimani Ngarashi	08EE593F	06/28/11	Receiving	18	No	165.0
Messengarony	06199A74	06/29/11	Drying	7	No	73.0
Mlimani Ngarashi	0C8673A9	06/29/11	Receiving	21	No	205.0
Kihuka	091ADE14	06/29/11	Drying	7	No	37.0
Mlimani Ngarashi	04147C89	06/30/11	Receiving	24	No	518.0
Kihuka	071A3675	06/30/11	Processing	24	No	699.0
Ngyani	0AFFA4F9	06/30/11	Drying	3	No	19.5
Messengarony	0956368F	06/30/11	Drying	8	No	27.0
Total Weight						24731 kg

Farmer payments made in June 2011 recorded in RITS

Mlimani Ngarashi	Boniface Andrea	0FBD911C	13.000 kg Cherry	24-06-2011	TZS3900.00
Mlimani Ngarashi	Maria Jonathan	0FBD911C	3.000 kg Cherry	24-06-2011	TZS900.00
Mlimani Ngarashi	Patris Obono	0FBD911C	5.000 kg Cherry	24-06-2011	TZS1500.00
Mlimani Ngarashi	Eugenia Shiyo	0FBD911C	6.000 kg Cherry	24-06-2011	TZS1800.00
Mlimani Ngarashi	Fredy John	0FBD911C	11.000 kg Cherry	24-06-2011	TZS3300.00
Total Paid					TZS1,990,200.00